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September 6, 2002

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petitioner's Comments

Rankin, Texas (MB Docket No. 02-262)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of Petitioner's Comments for Rankin, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted,

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In the Matter of)	
Amendment of 73.202 (b) Table of Allotments FM Broadcast Stations (Rankin, TX))))	MB Docket No. 02-262 RM-10504

To: John Karousos, Assistant Chief

Audio Division of the

Media Bureau

PETITIONER's COMMENTS

Please accept these comments as restated below from Proponents original petition.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 229C3 to Rankin, Texas, as that community's first local aural broadcast transmission service. Rankin, Texas is an incorporated community of over 900 people. Rankin has its own mayor, Cora McFadden, its own post office, its own volunteer fire department, its own school district and a number of local churches. The proposed channel 229C3 will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Rankin residents and therefore is in the public interest.

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Should this petition be granted, and Channel 229C3 be allotted to Rankin, Texas, Petitioner will apply for Channel 229C3, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The information provided in these Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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